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GREENBELT MARYLAND

Thursday, June 4, 1964

Council Starts Voting On 1964-65 Budget

The city council will start tonight to vote up or down the individual items on the 1964-65 budget. The budget is expected to be adopted tomorrow night. It must be adopted by June 10.

City Notes

Meeting with Electrical Engineer

Thursday afternoon a consultant electrical engineer to Greenhorne & O'Mara visited the Greenbelt swimming pool to examine its existing electrical facilities. The consultant made this initial examination so that he can prepare plans and recommendations for Greenhorne & O'Mara for redoing the electrical system. Because the deck will be torn up during the renovation most of the old conduits and wiring will be destroyed. Since these are already old and badly in need of repair, replacement of the fixtures and wiring will be required. The representative of Greenhorne & O'Mara also indicated that he wanted to have bids ready by July 1 for the general contracting work.

New Playground Equipment

Work was completed in the playground east of the swimming pool in preparation for the placement of new playground equipment. The Public Works crew poured a concrete base to support an animated style of playground equipment for small children. The animals on the merry-go-round are an elephant, turtle and pelican. Six individual animals on springs have also arrived at the city offices: a donkey, elephant, pelican, hippopotamus, pony and turtle, to be placed separately on concrete. The equipment is designed to bob, weave and bounce on springs.

NASA Terminates Lease

NASA notified the city offices on Thursday, May 28, 1964, of its intention to terminate its lease on warehouse rental effective June 30, 1964, in accordance with provisions of its contract with the city, requiring written notice thirty days prior to termination. NASA has rented half of one of our warehouse buildings since July 1960. Now NASA has completed construction of a million dollar warehouse building located at the Space Flight Center.

Public Works Activities

The Public Works crew performed the following tasks last week:

1. Put the finishing touches on the swimming pool, which opened on Saturday, May 30.
2. Refuse collection crews worked on Friday, a holiday for most city employees.
2. Transported the reviewing stand to the Memorial in the Center for the Memorial Day decorating services.
4. Cut the grass on City park areas and removed dead trees across from the Center between Crescent and Centerway. Trimmed the grass and cleaned the gravesites in the city cemetery.
5. Repaired several chuck-holes in streets on Tuesday.
6. Discussed with several truck companies the city's requirements for the eventual purchase of a new truck.

A total of 36 replies have been received on the questionnaire concerning levying taxes this year for a reserve for the conversion of the fiscal year. A total of 276 letters were mailed. Of the replies received so far, 29 opposed levying taxes this year for that purpose and 7 favored the proposal.

Looks Like Local Library Is Lost

At a meeting of the Greenbelt Library Association last Tuesday night, Secretary Evelyn Simonson gave a rather discouraging summary of the seeming failure of the local effort to effect any sympathetic response on the part of county authorities. A negative answer has been received from the County Library Board concerning local requests to obtain adequate library facilities within the center of Greenbelt.

Several approaches have been made to the responsible county officials and boards, offers of sites have been made, and both letters and strong desires and needs of our area. The net result has been a rejection of the city's offer of a site, and alternative plans are presently being pursued by the county for a location outside of Greenbelt proper.

A spokesman will be appointed by the local group to carry forward their plea for consideration at the hearing to be held by the Park and Planning Commission on June 10, but community support is urgently needed. After the hearings, at which the Library site is only one portion of a controversy concerning the future of our city, a further meeting of interested Greenbelt citizens is planned by the Library Association, when some line of attack will be discussed to secure a satisfactory solution to this problem.

Golden Age Club Grows

At its last Wednesday meeting the Golden Age Club was favored by two new members from Spring Hill Lake. We are pleased to welcome them. A recent addition in membership gives the club four retired ministers. Surely we will have to follow the straight and narrow path with that many ministers.

If you are not a member why not make us a visit any Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. in the air conditioned recreation building — visit and play in comfort. New colored bingo balls purchased by the recreation department add to our pleasure. In the near future Dr. James McCarl will favor us with a showing of pictures taken in Israel, Turkey and the Middle East. Thanks in advance, doctor. Do you know that we do not have a single member in arrears on dues. Our dues are only 25c per month.

The Dickmans, Bocherts, and Mullen family have recently returned from Florida and other points. They have some tall tales to tell us about prices in traveling. Our dependable member Joe Cherry will soon be with us after several months in Mt. Alto hospital and convalescing at home. Mrs. Pettie of 56-F Ridge was in attendance Wednesday after a hospital stay of two months. We regret that one of our faithful members, Miss Loveland of 1-A Gardenway, has sold her home and is moving to Virginia.

Some day we will reveal the average age of our membership; you will be surprised to learn how young we are.

High Point Graduation

Graduation for 590 seniors of High Point Senior High School will be held on Monday, June 8, at 8 p.m. in the Cole Field House, University of Maryland. Student speakers will participate in the program.

Baccalaureate services will be held on Sunday, June 7 at 8 p.m. in the Ritchie Coliseum, College Park.

WHAT GOES ON

Thurs., June 4, 8 p.m. City Council Budget Meeting
Friday, June 5, 7 p.m., "Co-op Salutes 4-H", Greenbelt Center School
8 p.m. City Council Budget Meeting.
8:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge, Co-op Hospitality Room.
Monday, June 8, 8 p.m. G.C.S. Greenbelt Delegation Meeting Co-op Hospitality Room.
Wednesday, June 10, 8 p.m. Public Hearing on Master Plan - College Park Municipal Building.

Registration June 5 For School Children

The Board of Education of Prince Georges County announces the date for the enrollment of pre-school age children and of children who have moved into the county from other districts. The registration date approved by the Board of Education is Friday, June 5, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

All children entering the public schools of Prince Georges County for the first time are urged to go to the nearest school to register on this date.

Parents who are registering their child in the first grade should bring the child's birth certificate as proof of age. Children entering the first grade must be six years of age before January 1, 1965.

Verification of the child's smallpox and diphtheria immunization must be presented to the school on or before the opening of school on Tuesday, September 8.

Center School Notes

A new American flag which flew over the Capital in Washington, D. C. during the first week of May, is now proudly waving over Greenbelt Center School.

We are indebted to Mrs. Durrell Moore, assistant research consultant for Senator McClellan of Arkansas, who secured the flag for us.

An impressive flag-raising ceremony took place on the school lawn, with Leslie Moore assisting Mr. Cardano. Mrs. Yeager's class sang The Pledge of Allegiance after which Mr. Cardano took pictures of the children.

P. G. POINTERS, a magazine published three times each year by the county's Board of Education, pointed with pride, in its final issue of this year, to the American Heritage Hall at Greenbelt Center School. Its lead article told the story of the establishment and development of this unique school museum.

Organizations that assisted Fred Cardano, Center School's principal, who supervised the total project, included the Disabled Veterans of America, Unit 23, Maryland, and its Ladies Auxiliary; American Legion and Ladies Auxiliary, Greenbelt Post 136; Captain Clancy Wells, a national officer of the American Legion, Swanton, Vermont.

Children's Art Show

Attracts Interest

Any doubts as to the artistic potential of Greenbelt's next generation can easily be dispelled by a visit to the Center School children's exhibit at the Twin Pines office. The show may be considered on its own merits as far as imagination and sensitivity are concerned, quite apart from the fact that the work stems from the creativity of six-to-nine-year-old children.

Of special import is the uncontrived nature of the drawings selected, since they were not specially prepared for exhibition, but merely exemplify the class efforts during the past months. The grades taught by Mrs. Fink, Miss Lentz, Mrs. Yeager, and Mrs. Leve are all represented.

The current presentation, sponsored

Council, GHI Merge Forces To Fight Area Master Plan

by Rita Fisher

The new Greenbelt Homes, Inc. board of directors met for the first time on Thursday, May 28 and re-elected Charles Schwan as president, Frank Lastner as vice-president, Ed Burgoon as secretary and John O'Reilly as treasurer. All officers were elected by unanimous votes.

Immediately the new board found itself in the midst of a zoning crisis, arising out of the proposed Master Plan for the College Park-Greenbelt area. Leo Gerton, Chairman of the G.H.I. Zoning Committee, explained that the major problem facing Greenbelt, if the zoning petitions were approved for high-density apartments around Greenbelt, would be the necessity of making

many of the streets now existing into arterial highways (4 lane). This would possibly eliminate all parking along the roads and could come as close as two feet to the actual homes (up to the inner sidewalks).

The board was unanimous in its determination to fight the Master Plan. It directed that full publicity be given in the *News Review* to the consequences of the plan for GHI homeowners. The Board instructed management to place flags in certain areas to indicate the existing right of way and the proposed right of way if 4 lane highways are adopted.

Attending the meeting were three city councilmen, Mayor Edgar Smith and Cliff Simonson and Lewis Bernstein.

Mayor Smith expressed the opinion that council's thoughts were much the same as GHI's. He stated that council is considering hiring the services of an attorney and land planner who would be able to counsel those who attended the hearings. He also stated that the city of Berwyn Heights will support Greenbelt. He noted that it would be beneficial if the one attorney could represent all interested groups.

The first public hearing on the Master Plan is scheduled for June 10 and will be held at the College Park Municipal Center at 8 p.m. Council plans to ask for an extension of that hearing because they have been concentrating on their budget and would like more time to be able to present their case. GHI later decided also to request an extension on the grounds that a new board has just met and they would like time to plan for the meeting.

Special Request

Seymour Kaplan presented a request to the Board for a special use exemption for Joe Schubert, a young man in his twenties, who was seriously injured in a motorcycle accident and who has been training through the State Rehabilitation Board to earn his own living although confined to a wheelchair.

The request was for a permanent sheltered unit for wiring in order for Schubert to set up a shop in which he could make custom upholstery for autos. The Board made a tentative motion to approve if the neighbors approved of the set-up. The agreement would be that there would be no signs and that the agreement would be non-transferable. All of this was subject to the manager's approval. Kaplan stated that what was needed was a powered sewing machine and electric lights. He added that Rehab has already agreed to give the sewing machine to Schubert as a gift because of his vivid determination and his good spirits during this crisis in his life.

Other Visitors

William Feller thanked the Board for the new chairs for the use of the visitors stating that the chairs were quite comfortable.

Audit Committee Member Siebert (Blackie) Meade announced that David Lange had been chosen as Chairman for that Committee.

Len Baron, speaking for the Garden Club, mentioned that there was a dry water line which could be used by the Garden Club members if it were opened. Maintenance Chief Dave Kane stated that the pipeline would be turned on as soon as installation of the water meter was completed.

Kane was at the meeting representing Manager Roy Breashears. In the Manager's report, Kane stated that fuel oil bids had been sent to eight companies. The Board accepted the low bid on No. 2 fuel oil from Sinclair and the low bid on No. 6 fuel oil from Humble.

The final item on the evening's agenda was the decision to hold the regular meetings of the board on the fourth Thursday of the month during June, July and August.

Petition on Master Plan

A group of Greenbelt residents who fear that the crowded schedule for the hearing on June 10 will prevent a sufficiently thorough discussion of Greenbelt's problems are circulating a petition for a second hearing in this town. The petition reads:

"We undersigned, residents of the city of Greenbelt, hereby petition the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission to hold an additional hearing on those parts of the Master Plan for Area 13 immediately affecting our city. Living in a planned community has taught us the value of detailed planning and it is our belief that the plan's proposal for the Greenbelt area are too numerous to be dealt with in the single hearing in College Park and warrant a special hearing in Greenbelt."

Volunteers to help circulate the petition are welcome and needed. They should contact one of the persons listed below for details and forms:

Nancy Neupert, 9 Greentree
Josephine Seay, 6-S Plateau
Audrey Stern, 31 Lakeside
Evelyn Simonson, 8-C Ridge
James Cassels, 125 Northway
Joseph Remenick, 1-E Westway

Those residents wishing to sign the petition while visiting the Greenbelt shopping center can do so in the office of the Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association.

sored by the Greenbelt Arts and Crafts Guild, will continue this week through the close of business on Saturday. Sufficient interest has been aroused to assure planning for a wider show within a few months for which all the children of Greenbelt will be invited to submit material.

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All Are Affected

If you look at the maps of the land use and road network system proposed by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission for the College Park-Greenbelt Master Plan, you will immediately see that there is no single part of Greenbelt that will not be affected.

The plan is so encompassing and makes such a radical alteration in the fundamental character of Greenbelt — high-density apartments, four-lane highways, numerous neighborhood commercial centers — that it is hard to visualize how any single homeowner will escape its consequences. Moreover, the plan is composed of closely inter-related parts; so that it becomes almost impossible to favor one part of the plan without becoming committed to other less desirable features.

For this reason, the GHI Board and the City Council have joined together to fight the plan practically in its entirety. Individual homeowners would do well to study these maps (which are on exhibit at the city offices) to determine how they would be affected personally. And everyone should attend the public hearing on Wednesday, June 10, at 8 p.m. in the College Park Municipal Building (Baltimore Blvd. at Knox Rd.).

On Public Hearings

The *News Review* has long felt that one of its responsibilities is to keep the public informed on city budget matters and on the position of individual councilmen with respect to the major areas of decision involved.

For this reason, it has in previous years been critical of executive sessions on budgets which make it difficult for the Greenbelt citizenry to learn where their councilmen stand.

The present council has been very careful to hold all its budget meetings in public. One is scheduled for tonight, and another for tomorrow night, when the budget is expected to be adopted.

But these public meetings are not enough. It is true that they give the public an opportunity to voice their views on the budget as proposed by the city manager. What is also needed is an opportunity for the public to voice their views on *what the councilmen* are going to do to that budget.

In this respect the present council has been remiss. The views of the individual councilmen will not be known until the day the budget is adopted. Any publicity with respect to these views will be published too late for the public to influence final budget decisions.

We strongly urge that budget procedures in future years be revamped to make full use of the democratic cauldron to mold a budget acceptable to the majority of people.

More specifically, we feel that the official public hearing should not be held until the council, collectively or individually, has given some indications as to how it views the proposed budget. At present, much of the public hearing time is frittered away on topics (proposed by the city manager) that the council has no serious intention of considering.

We would suggest that, early in the budget process, the council take tentative votes on each part of the budget after hearing the department heads (this has been done in previous years). In this way, the public would learn which areas are relatively noncontroversial and which areas involve differences of opinion.

The public hearing could then be pinpointed to the areas of most controversy and to those involving major decisions.

This is the way to make the public an active and not silent participant in the budget process.

Editor's Note

Editor W. L. Schmitt of the *Carlinville (Ill.) Enquirer* tells of a tongue lashing he received from an irate lady subscriber who said he had edited so much out of an item she handed in that he had completely butchered it in comparison to other county weeklies who had printed the article verbatim. "Our easiest way out would have been to take the copy as submitted and set it into type as the others had done. But our duty is not to one subscriber, but to our 15,999 other readers. In this business we get pretty much used to catching it now and then. It tends to whet one's interest in the game. Fortunately, the compliments we get from readers are far more numerous; they justify our position that perhaps we know a

little more about the business of editing a newspaper than some self-appointed critics. We would hate to be invited for dinner at this lady's home. What would happen if you didn't eat everything she placed before you, whether you liked it or whether it nauseated you?"

WANTED

Boys in Springhill Lake area to deliver *News Review* Thursday evenings. Write to: Norman Weston, 6144 Springhill Drive. State your name, address, age and telephone number.

IMPORTANT MILESTONE

To the Editor:

The hearing on the Master Plan for Area 13 set for June 10 will certainly be one of the important milestones in the history of Greenbelt. However, this plan is so wide in scope, so revolutionary and detailed that even now it can be safely predicted that only part of the arguments concerning it can be heard and aired in a single hearing.

Please therefore — write the Planning Commission to hold a special hearing in Greenbelt, concerned with our area. There are indeed more points that can be raised in such a letter. Unlike the case of zoning hearings, the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission accepts comments in writing on its proposed plans for a period of a month following a public hearing — and presumably, up to such a hearing as well. There is, therefore, a chance for everybody to be heard — and in planning the future of this city, this may be the only one of its kind.

David Stern

Summer Theatre Try-Outs

Open try-outs for the University of Maryland summer theater production of Oliver Goldsmith's "She Stoops To Conquer" will be held in Central Auditorium in Woods Hall on the College Park campus June 4 and 5 at 8:30 p.m.

Principal parts for at least four men and two women are called for in the eighteenth century drama on the style of restoration comedy which will be presented July 2 for three night runs through July 17. The summer productions are open to the community and anyone may try out for the cast.

Miller-Lawson

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller, 41-A Ridge, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Faye Eloise, to David Michael Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bruce Lawson of Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Miss Miller is a student at the Washington School for Secretaries in Washington, and her fiancé, who is employed at the Hyattsville Post Office, is now serving six months in the Army Reserves. A summer wedding next year is planned.

JCC Services

The Jewish Community Center will hold services this Friday at 8:15 p.m. with Mr. Abe Shefferman officiating. Shefferman served as Executive Director of the Adas Israel Congregation for 25 years. "Holiness in Practice" is the subject of his sermon.

A Retreat for Women

A retreat is being planned for the women of this area at the Washington Retreat House, 4000 Harewood Road, N.E., Washington, D. C. It will begin on Friday evening, June 26, at 6:15 p.m. and close at 4 p.m. on Sunday, June 28. For further information please call Mrs. Joseph T. Haslinger, 474-8171.

Easter Seal Campaign

This year's Easter Seal Neighbor to Neighbor Campaign is rapidly rounding out as the most successful thus far attempted in Greenbelt. Mrs. Jackie Shabe, 1-C North Way, chairman for the drive, stated that "More envelopes were circulated this year in all Greenbelt courts and, although nearly 80 percent have been returned, many envelopes are, as yet, unaccounted for. Residents still holding these Neighbor-to-Neighbor envelopes are urged to speed them through their court and turn them in to the Greenbelt branch of the Suburban Trust." Money collected in this Neighbor-to-Neighbor drive will be placed in a special "brace" fund for disabled people in the Easter Seal rehabilitation program. Other key volunteers working on the drive are Rita Boyd, 5 Green Knoll; Kathy Foster, 36-J Ridge Road; Mrs. Wimberly, 60-J Crescent; and Lee Longas, 59-R Ridge Road.

"TWO NEW FACES"

To the Editor:

Now that the GHI elections are out of the way, I return to the GCS fray. As I hope most Greenbelters realize, my aim is not to have GCS make a profit, because we who use and are members of a co-op are in this type of activity to get better quality and service for our money and to try to shape our own economic destiny. My aim is to help GCS become again a member-controlled organization, and to be in good financial shape (not having to dip into reserves in order to pay share dividends), not involved in long-term money-losing leases, and to be able to pay patronage dividends after selling at fair prices good-quality merchandise produced under decent working conditions and sold honestly.

It should be apparent to all that our present GCS leadership has not been entirely able or willing to deliver along all these lines. Our elected GCS leadership does not believe, for example, in telling the membership the whole truth about the affairs of GCS. Read the GCS annual report and try to piece out, from various statements in it, including footnotes in fine print, just how many thousands of dollars we are losing annually on our long-term real estate commitments. Find out, if you can, just what these commitments were, who made them, who approved them, and why GCS members should not be told of such decisions when they've been made, told in enough detail so that, if the decisions are ill-advised, some member might warn against them or so that members may know whom to hold responsible.

There are two things GCS members can do at this time.

ONE. The GCS Board invited the GCS Congress to advise it as to the management contract. At our Greenbelt area delegation meeting, I proposed to let the GCS membership in on this by posting the Board's letter to the Congress, by a News-Review story, and by a meeting at which members would be able to discuss this. Don Cooper a Board member, expressed "distress" at this. After much discussion and some opposition, a watered-down motion was passed. We will have the meeting (see story elsewhere in this paper). Please come down if you can. I have cracked the door open, with the help of some of the other delegation members; let's use the chance to show we can, in a responsible way, take a hand in managing our affairs.

TWO. The GCS annual election of Board members is at hand. There are five Board seats to fill, and only five candidates—all nominated by the Congress. That doesn't mean it doesn't matter if or how you vote, because all five will be elected. Sure, they'll all be elected (as summing we get a quorum to vote; if we don't get a quorum, hold-over Board members presumably will continue to sit). But apathy won't build this co-op, won't democratize it.

I urge all GCS members to be sure to vote. Spend the necessary time and effort to cast your vote. And make it count as a means of expressing your views as to how GCS has been run up to now. How?

"UNLUCKY 13"

To the Editor:

On June 10 next (please mark the date),

At eight p.m. (nightfall)

Come hear our Area Zoning Plan At College Park's City Hall.

This plan has surprises for us all. Such as many new four lane highways,

(Like Crescent and Northway, Southway and Ridge).

At present they're limited by-ways. Some parking spaces and yards will go.

To traffic safety? Goodbye!

We stand to lose so much you see. Attend and you'll see why.

The time again? It's 8 p.m.

The date? The 10th of June.

On Wednesday next... we'll see you there.

Let's keep our town from ruin.

Mrs. Marjorie Bergemann

If you approve of the way things have been going, vote for all five candidates. But if you disapprove, vote only for the two candidates who are not incumbents running for re-election. Do not vote for the three incumbents who, in greater or lesser measure, espouse the dominant policy which is that they have the responsibility and they will make the decisions and they will keep most of the affairs to themselves (except for expurgated pap they hand out).

A word about the two new candidates. Mrs. Wheeler is the lady who testified before the U.S. Congress on deceptive packaging for GCS. She is able, and I believe, candid and desiring change. Dave Scull is the Dave Scull from Virginia—not the Maryland Republican politician named Dave Scull—who has been active in many co-op and other worthwhile efforts. I have not always seen eye to eye with Dave Scull, but he is able to change when the evidence indicates he was wrong (I saw an example of this in Group Health Assn' a year or two ago). And often he has been magnificently right. He merits our votes.

So please, vote in the GCS Board elections. Vote for the two new faces, not for the others. It will be noticed, if enough do so. If enough do so, who knows, the other Board members may take the hint and change enough to merit our support, too.

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COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, Minister

Sunday

no regular Church School classes

10:45 Church School Day

Parents and Pupils will attend

Church together—Pupils gather at 10:30

High School Graduates Honored

5:30 Supper for Seniors

8:00 Board of Deacons meeting

MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Invites you to

CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30 a.m.

WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 a.m.

Nursery Provided Lyle E. Harper, pastor

at Service 42 RIDGE GR. 4-7293

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

8:00 p.m. Wednesday

GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

Crescent & Greenhill S. Jasper Morris, Jr., Pastor GR 4-4040

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

22 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, GR. 4-4477

Edward H. Birner, Pastor, GR. 4-9200

WORSHIP SERVICES 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 a.m.

Kindergarten registrations now being accepted

WEEKDAY KINDERGARTEN



Recreation Review

by Richard Stevenson
Director of Education

Pony-Tail League

Practice for the following teams will be held on Saturday, June 6, on the softball field: Mrs. Marion's — 10 a.m.; Mrs. Jezierski's — 11:30 a.m.; and Mrs. Ford's — 1 p.m. If you are 13 and under and have not been contacted about a team, please call or come down to the Youth Center. Any girls wishing to join may do so before June 15. Opening game will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 23.

Teen Club

Results of the election of officers will be announced next week. The usual Friday and Saturday night Teen Clubs have been discontinued for the summer. In their place will be splash parties on Friday nights and one band dance a month on Saturdays. The band dance for this month will be on Saturday, June 6 from 8-11 p.m. Juniors and Seniors are invited. Music will be by the Corvettes. Dress for the evening is school clothes, no tennis shoes.

All those interested in a hay ride, please contact the Teen Club.

Powder-Puff League

Girls who have signed up for the Powder-Puff League will be contacted about their teams within the next week or so.

Babe Ruth League

Practice will be held Saturday, June 6, at 1 p.m. Captains for the 1964-65 season are Tom Falter, Tony Fominaya, Ray Groht and A. J. Nuzzo. There are still openings on the teams. If you are between the ages of 13-15, sign up at the Youth Center. Games will be played Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday mornings at 10 a.m. Boys will get to play in every game.

Summer Activity Registration

For your convenience, sign up at the Youth Center or Swimming Pool for any of the following programs you are interested in participating in this summer.

Boys' summer basketball and softball — 13 through 15 years and 16 through 18 years.

Men's outdoor basketball league — no fee, open to residents only.

Pony-Tail Softball Practice

Saturday, June 6, 9 a.m., Mrs. Beall's team and 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Kelly's team.

LITTLE LEAGUE CHATTER

By "Dale" Parrish

The schedule of the baseball games starting June 5, 1964, is as follows:

Friday: Athletics vs. Giants
Monday: Indians vs. Tigers
Tuesday: Giants vs. Jim Lemon
Wednesday: Cubs vs. Athletics
Thursday: Lions vs. Cardinals
Friday: Jim Lemon vs. Cubs

Scores from last week's games.
Cardinals 8, Tigers 7, (7 innings),
Lions 7, Indians 4,
Giants 6, Cubs 4,
Jim Lemon 0, Athletics 3,

STANDINGS

American League

	Won	Lost
Athletics	7	1
Jim Lemon	5	2
Cubs	2	5
Giants	1	6

National League

	Won	Lost
Cardinals	5	1
Lions	4	2
Tigers	2	5
Indians	1	5

Boys' Club Opening Game

The Greenbelt Boy's Club baseball team will play College Park in its opening game at Braden Field, Monday, June 8 at 6 p.m.

Chess Tournament

The top three winners of the Chess Tournament are David Bronstein, Robert Wilson and Michael Gaffney. The remaining places will be determined this Saturday, when the last 2 games will be played.

Swim Team Registration

Registration for the Swim Team will be held next Saturday, June 13. More detailed information will be given next week.

Men's Slow Pitch


After the completion of the first round, the standings are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Berwyn Barbers	6	0
Teen Club	4	2
Varsity Sport Shop	3	2
Son Dee Del	2	3
Baptist Church	1	5
St. Hugh's	1	5

Schedule for the coming week —
Thursday, June 4, Varsity Sport Shop vs. St. Hugh's and Son Dee Del vs. Baptist Church. Monday, June 8, Varsity Sport Shop vs. Berwyn Barbers and St. Hugh's vs. Baptist Church. Wednesday, June 10, Varsity Sport Shop vs. Teen Club and Berwyn Barbers vs. Son Dee Del.

THAT'S A FACT

WASHINGTON'S ARMY
TOWARDS THE END OF THE REVOLUTION—
ARY WAR, GEORGE WASHINGTON
COMMANDED 40,000 MEN. HIS
ARMY CONSISTED OF 9,000
OF HIS OWN CONTINENTALS—
AND 31,000 FRENCH SOLDIERS
AND SAILORS!!



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FUTURE SECURITY WHILE
YOU LEND A HELPING HAND
TO YOUR COUNTRY.

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TO ADMINISTER JUSTICE
WITHOUT PREJUDICE,
JUDGE JAMES PECK OF
MISSOURI WOULD WEAR
A WHITE BANDAGE
OVER HIS EYES!

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AN OPEN LETTER TO GHI MEMBERS

On June 10, at 8 p.m., a public hearing will be held at the College Park Municipal Building on a proposed Master Plan for development of College Park-Greenbelt and vicinity. This Master Plan is of critical importance in determining the future of Greenbelt. Its adoption would mean:

1. A change from low density to high density zoning with a concentration on rental units and high rise apartments.
2. A drastic increase in population — from a current population of 11,000 to an estimated 50,000 within Greenbelt and many more thousands immediately outside the city limits.
3. A community where only 20 per cent would own their own homes as compared to 75 per cent today.
4. Additional commercial and other shopping facilities in residential areas throughout the community.

In order to accommodate these developments the Master Plan calls for a **FOUR LANE ROAD SYSTEM THROUGHOUT THE RESIDENTIAL AREAS OF GHI**. More than half of the mileage of roads serving GHI will be converted to major arterial highways. GHI will thus become a system of thoroughfares to serve the convenience of other areas.

A four lane road system means:

- ... properties belonging to a great number of GHI members will have to be condemned to provide the necessary rights of way.
- ... throughout GHI, hedges, trees — even lawns would have to be sacrificed. The present attractiveness of Greenbelt, particularly the GHI portion, would be effaced.

... destruction of the concept of Greenbelt as a planned community which has served as a model throughout the world. The fundamental character of Greenbelt as a quiet residential community — a safe place for children — would be lost.

... most important of all, the safety of the lives of GHI members and their children would be endangered by the tremendous increase in traffic flow. Four lane highways running within a few feet of our doorways is too critical to tolerate.

The accompanying photographs and the maps illustrate specific examples of what such a road network would mean. Ridge, Crescent, Northway and Southway would all become four lane highways. The width of roads paved would be increased from 20 feet to 48 feet. Rights of way for shoulders and parking will require another 32 to 52 feet.

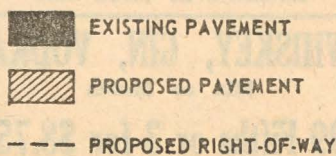
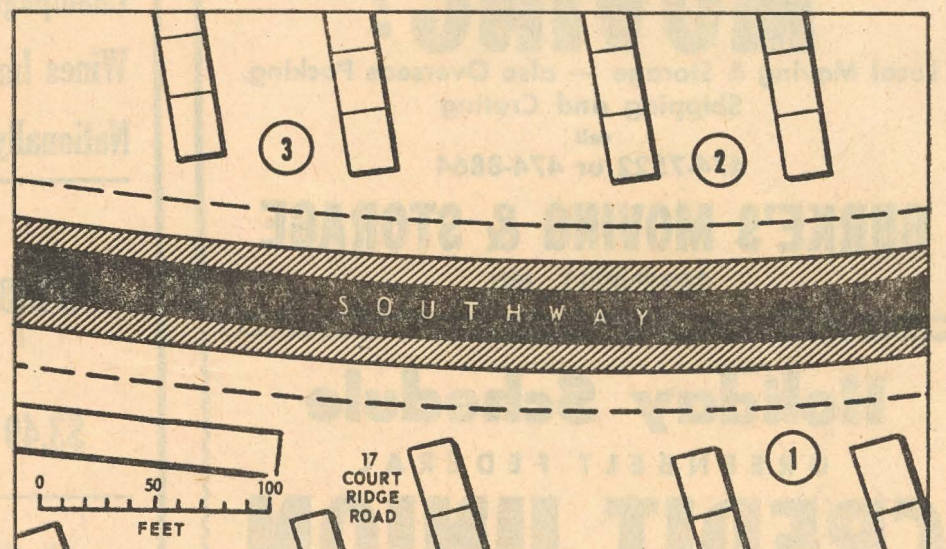
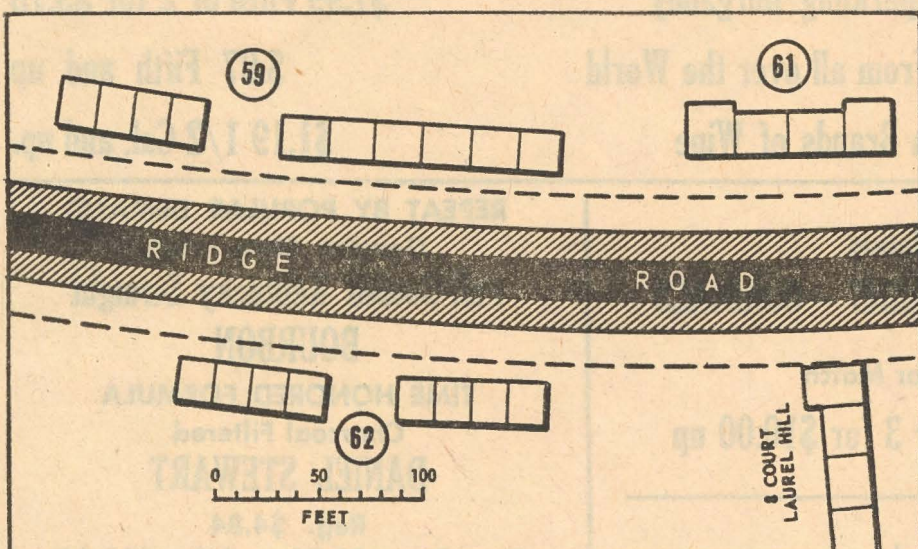
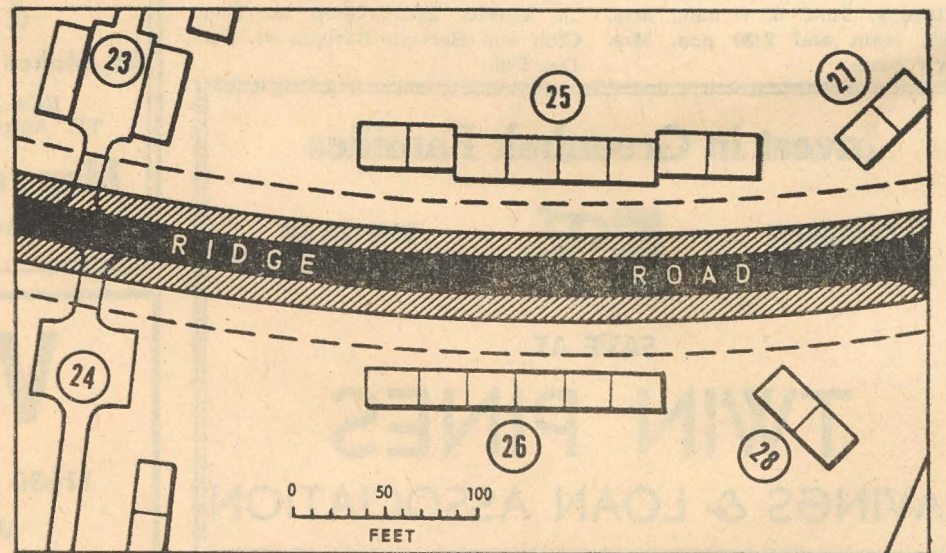
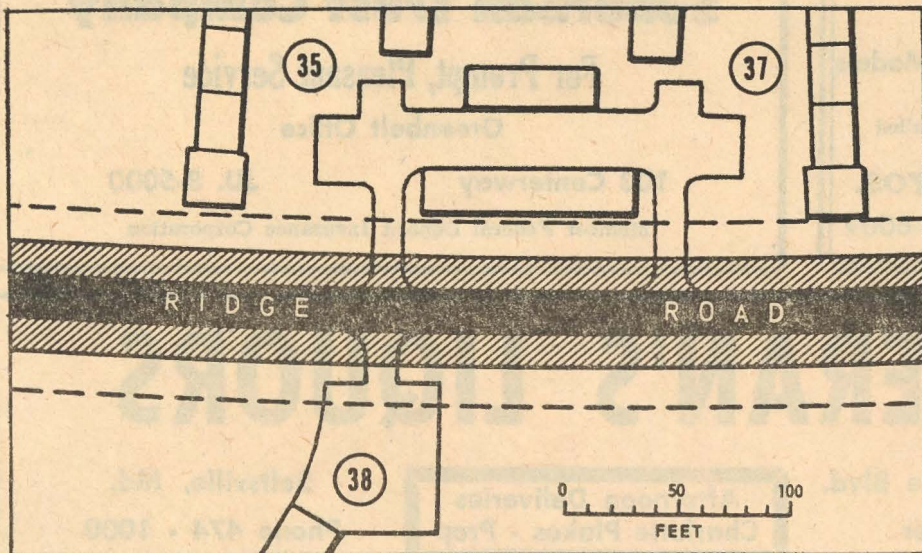
Graphic examples may be seen throughout GHI. Reddish flags have been placed to mark the limits of proposed rights-of-way at 58 and 62 Ridge — 37 Ridge — 25 and 26 Ridge — 18 Ridge — 2 Southway — 62 Crescent — 8 and 10 Hillside at the intersection of Northway — and other locations. They will remain in place over the weekend. Look for them as you drive through Greenbelt.

The GHI Board of Directors, in cooperation with the Greenbelt City Council, is sparing no effort to fight the adoption of the Master Plan. We will be represented by expert legal and planning counsel.

This is not enough. The will of the membership can be demonstrated only by your presence. You must represent yourselves at the public hearing at the College Park Municipal Building — 8 p.m. — June 10. The greater the representation, the greater will be the impact on the final decision.

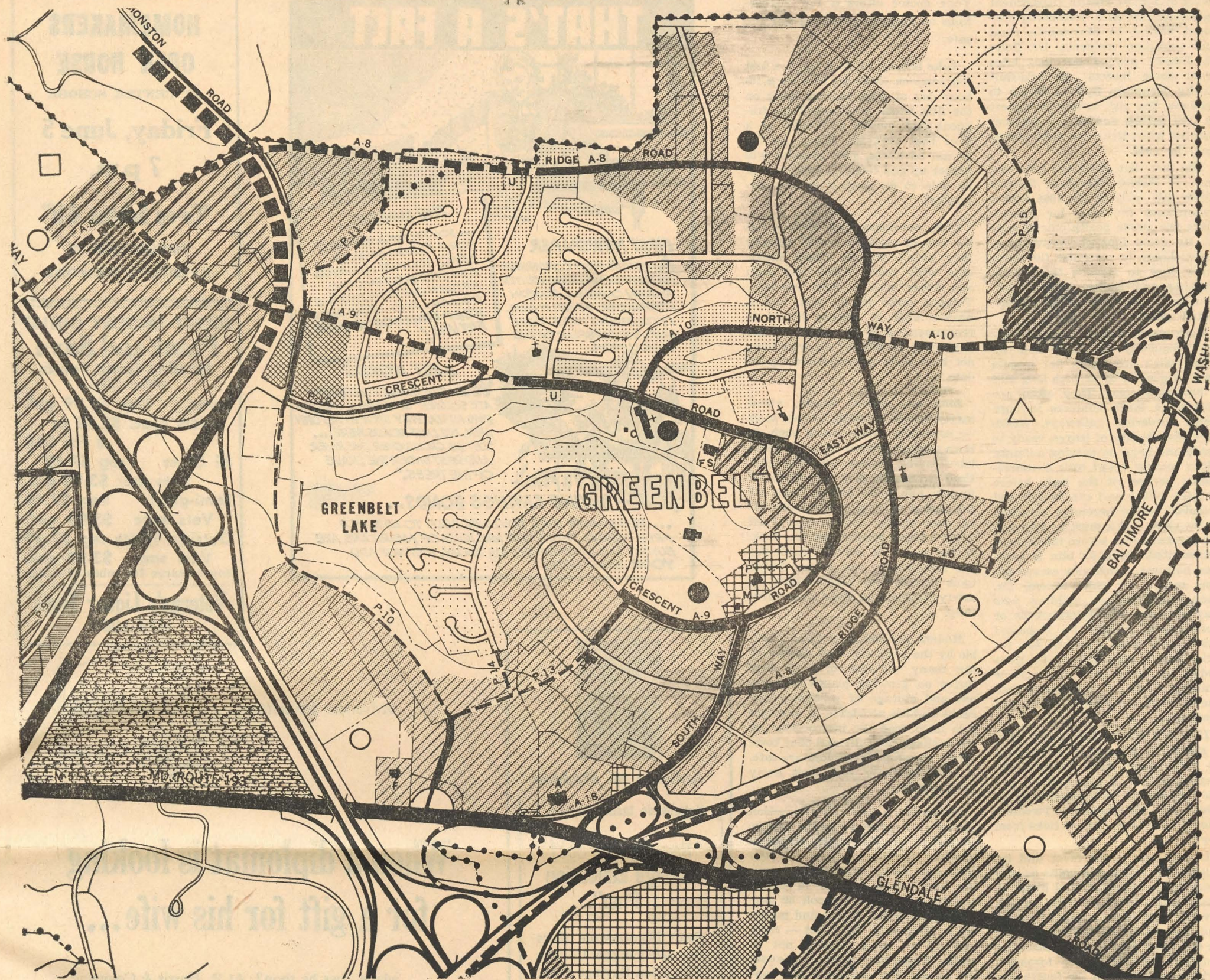
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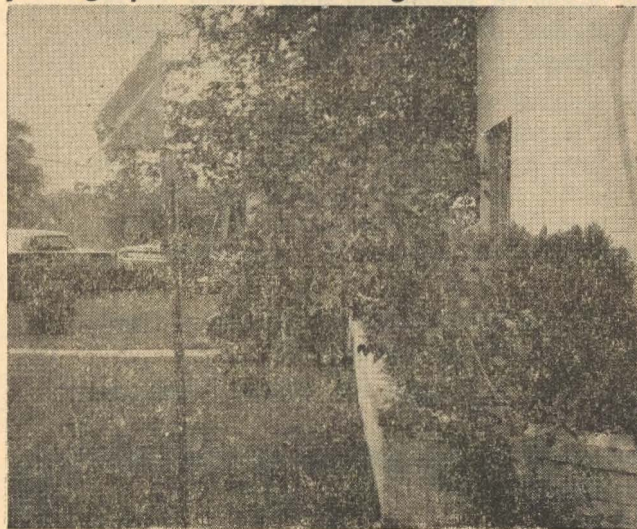
The effects of widening existing roadways in Greenbelt to accommodate four-lane highways are graphically illustrated in the above sketches. Note how close the proposed rights-of-way are to existing GHI homes, in many cases less than 10 feet from doorways.

PROPOSED GREENBELT MASTER PLAN ROAD NETWORK



The above map is reproduced from the Greenbelt Master Plan proposed by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission. Heavy lines represent four-lane highways called for in the Master Plan. The effect on the property of GHI homeowners of widening the roadways to accommodate four-lane traffic is illustrated in the photographs below. The flags nearest the houses indicate the extent

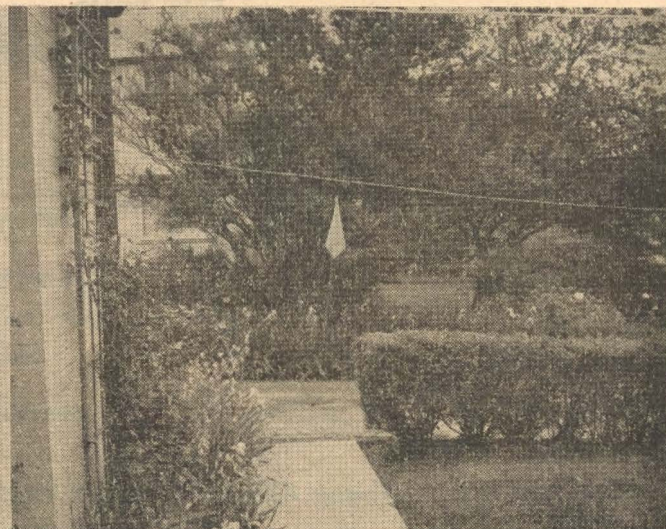
to which lawns will be cut away by the new rights-of-way required for four-lane highways. In photographs where there are two flags, the flag nearest the road is the present right-of-way. A public hearing on the Master Plan will be held Wednesday, June 10, 1964 at 8 p.m. in the College Park Municipal Building, Baltimore Blvd. and Knox rd.



4-H Southway looking toward Ridge Rd.



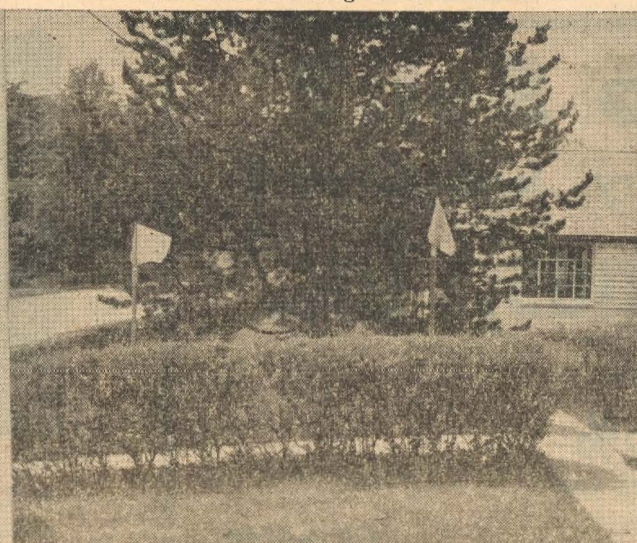
Hamilton Place looking toward GHI offices



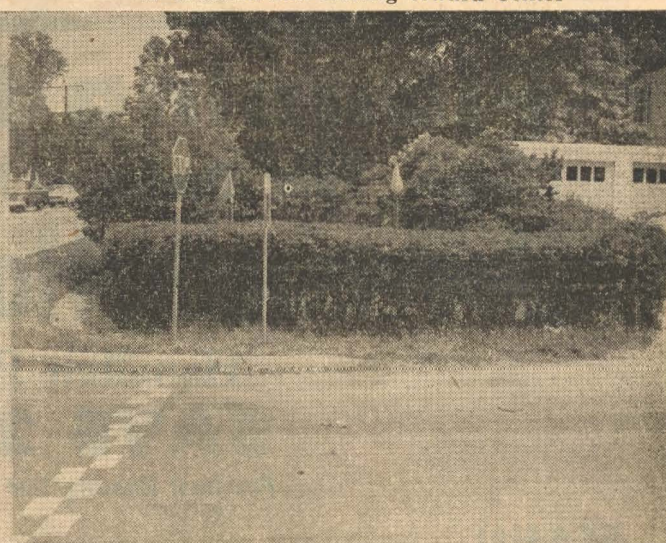
62 Crescent Rd. looking toward Center



26 Ridge Rd. looking south



37 Ridge Rd. looking south



Northway Rd. (at Hillside) looking east

Tick Bite Warning

Bites from dog ticks were cited today by a State Health Department epidemiologist as a continuing seasonal hazard to Maryland's rural and suburban residents. Dr. John H. Janney pointed out that bites from these insects can transmit Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever to humans. The risk usually is highest in late spring and in the summer months when ticks are most prevalent, he said.

The fact that there has been one case of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever this early in the 1964 season underscores the need for precautions, the public health official stated. He listed four preventive measures: Learn to recognize the ticks, know how to remove them from clothing and bodies, inspect children and pets daily, avoid tick-infested areas.

High grass, wooded and busy areas frequently are inhabited by ticks which are small, flat insects about a quarter of an inch long and a brownish color. They often are present in large numbers in high grass bordering pathways, where they cling to tips of leaves, ready to grasp and hang on passing animals. Ticks usually crawl over a considerable portion of the body before actually biting and can be felt and removed before becoming attached to the skin; a tick must be attached for several hours before infection is transmitted. Since its bite is painless, however, a tick may escape notice easily; for that reason, Dr. Janney emphasized, children who play outdoors near grass, weeds or undergrowth should be inspected twice daily from head to toe for ticks which may adhere to their bodies, in their hair or on their clothing. Dogs or other pets that run at large also should be checked thoroughly.

If a tick is attached to the skin, it should be grasped with tweezers or with paper held between the fingers, pulled off and burned, and the spot should be touched with iodine or disinfectant. Tweezers should be used to remove ticks from dogs.

Listlessness, slight fever and influenza-like aches and pains usually mark the onset of Spotted Fever. A sharp chill, fever as high as 104, severe joint and muscular pains and intense headaches may occur on the third day. In most cases, an eruption appears on the forehead, wrists and ankles on the fourth day and spreads rapidly to the rest of the body. Customary duration of an attack is from seven to ten days, but the disease usually responds well to antibiotics if administered early.

Tips on Gardening Safety

Your doctor offers a few suggestions on keeping gardening fun and safe:

Take it easy, at least for the first few sessions. Don't try to work a 10-hour day at hard manual labor on the first warm weekend. Take frequent rest breaks and work at a pace that isn't too tiring. As the season advances, your muscles will limber up and toughen and you will be able to do more with less discomfort.


Cuts, scratches and bruises are the fate of most gardeners. Usually they aren't serious. Clean minor cuts with warm water and soap and cover with a light bandage. Tetanus lurks in the soil, and a booster shot of tetanus toxoid is recommended at the onset of the gardening season for all who have not kept their immunization up-to-date.

Stop and think, briefly, about safety before handling garden tools — especially power tools such as lawn mowers. Power tools are great labor-saving devices, properly used. Used carelessly, they can slash off fingers and toes. Always turn off the mower when it is left unattended, even briefly. Always turn it off when adding gasoline to the tank. If the motor is electric, don't use the machine in wet grass. Power tools usually are accompanied by safety instructions. Read them carefully.

Modern gardening is made possible by the pesticides that dispose of the many varieties of bugs that thrive on growing plants. Careless use and storage of pesticides can cause serious accidents. A cardinal rule is to read the instructions on the package carefully and obey their safety warnings. Pesticides are safe, if used properly and kept away from children.

Poison ivy, poison oak and poison sumac also sprout up in the spring, to the great discomfort of many amateur gardeners. Look for the three-leaf sprigs that mark poison ivy and poison oak. If in doubt, consult a botany handbook or garden encyclopedia. If you find poison ivy in your yard, dig it out — roots and all — being careful not to touch. If you burn poison ivy avoid the smoke. The poisonous oils vaporize in the smoke and thus expose your whole body, eyes included. If you get a poison ivy rash, your doctor can suggest soothing medications to ease the itching and discomfort while healing progresses.

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Happy-happy birthday to June Barbie Goldstein, 6-Y Plateau, who celebrated her third birthday on June 1.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Doyle, Jr., 57-K Ridge. Gerald Christopher III was born May 15, weighing 6 lbs. 15 oz. He joins two sisters Karen and Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Ross, 6227 Springhill, proudly announce the arrival of a daughter. Jennifer Norma made her debut May 20, weighing 7 lbs. 11 oz. She joins Haly and Jackie.

Happy birthday to Angela Ann Belt, 4-A Gardenway, who celebrated her sixth birthday on June 3.

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Congratulations to Robert J. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Miller, 116 Northway, who will enter the United States Naval Academy on June 30. Robert, who will graduate from High Point this weekend, received his appointment through Senator Daniel Brewster. He was also selected by the Academy as a qualified alternate.

Happy birthday to Larry Shabe, 1-C Northway, who will be 9 years old on June 10.

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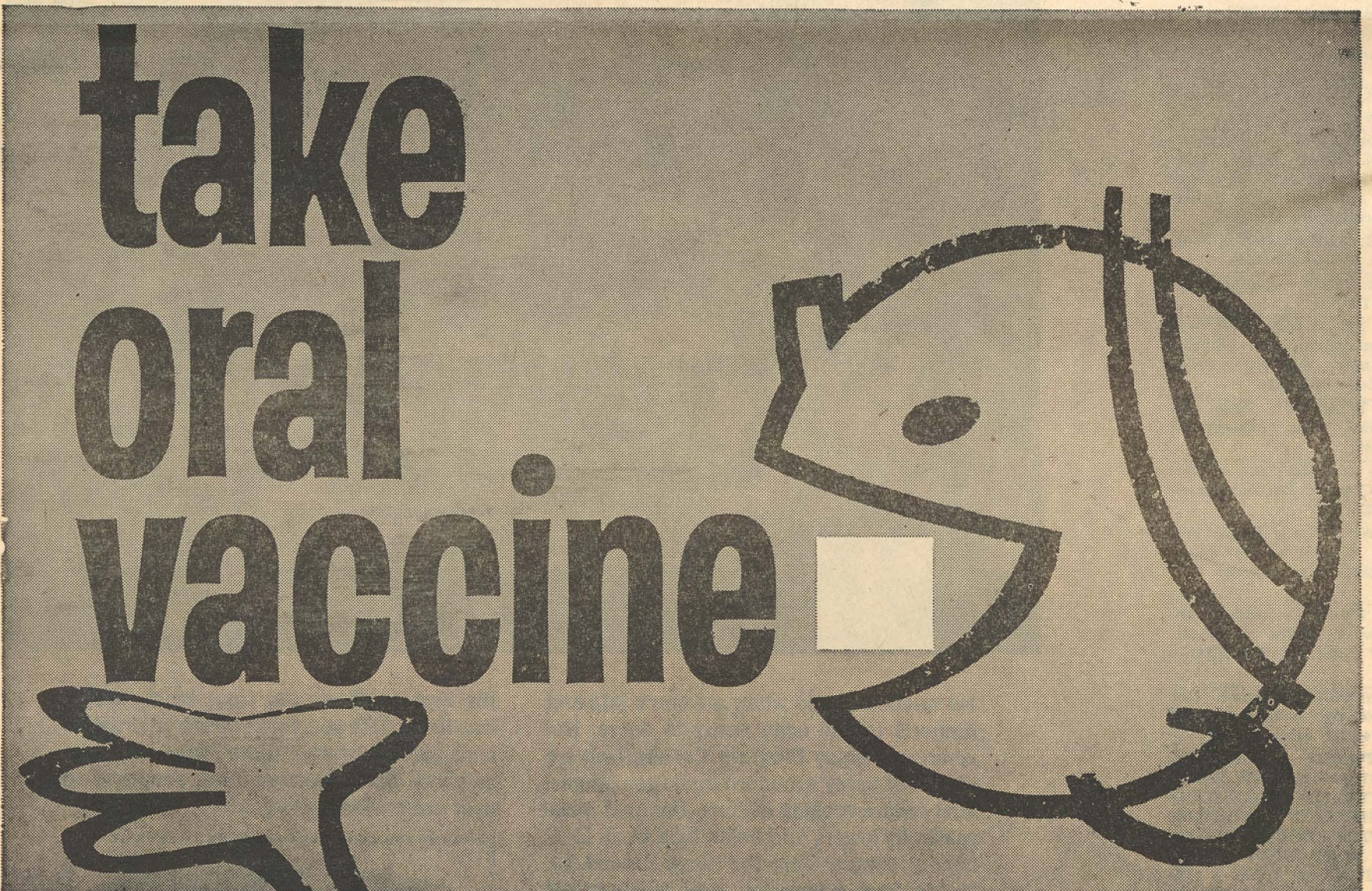
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